for disposal are given in the Statement.

Statement

(i) NAME & ADDRESSES OF THE PENDING CASES

S. No.	Name & Addresses of the Unit	Pending Since
1	M/s. Tungabhadra Industries Ltd. (Lessee of Hyderabad Van. Ltd.) Moula Ali, Hyderabad 500 040.	25-7-89 (Expansion)
2	M/s. Tungabhadra Industries Ltd. (Lessee of Aryan Industries Pvt. Ltd.) 108, Walker Town, Secunderabad, PIN : 500 025 (Andhra Pradesh).	25-7-89 (Expansion
3	Shri Vishwambhar Lal (M/s. K.O.P. Industries) 15-2-675/2, IInd Floor, Aryasamaj Mandir, Kishan Gunj, Hyderabad 500 012.	25-7-89
4	M/s. Shri Rayapati Ranga Rao Chandramouli Nagar, Guntur Andhra Pradesh—522007	25-7-89
5	Shri Marina Narayya Chowdhary, B.E. (Velangi, Karapa Mandalam, East Godavari Distt. A.P. PIN : 533 260.	25-7-89
6	M/s. Oswal Van. & Allied Inds. (Prop. Oswal Woollen Mills Ltd.) G.T. Road, Sherpur, Ludhiana—141 003	31-7-89 (Expansion)
7	Shri Dhram Chand Jain 12, Mahatma Gandhi Marg, Ring Road, Lajpat Nagar IV, New Delhi—110024.	31-7-89

(ii) The above applications have been received recently and are being processed according to the present policy for licensing of Vanaspati.

Establishment of an Alumina/Aluminium Project at Visakhapatnam

2263. PROF. C. LAKSHMANNA:
SHRI B. SATYANARAYAN REDDY:

Will the Minister of STEEL AND MINES be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that a team of BALCO alongwith Soviet experts visited Krishna Deverapeta and surrounding areas in Visakhapatnam district for establishing an Alumina/Aluminium Project more than a decade ago;

(b) whether it is also a fact that the Soviet team gave a favourable report;

(c) whether Government of Andhra Pradesh assured all facilities for setting up of this industry; and

(d) if so, what are the details of the project and the progress made so far for giving necessary approval and the reasons for delay in sanctioning the proposal?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN THE MINISTRY OF STEEL AND MINES (SHRI MAHABIR PRASAD): (a) Yes, Sir. The joint team of BALCO and Soviet experts visited the area in 1979.

(b) After the visit the Soviet side submitted in 1980 a feasibility report for setting up an Alumina Complex.

(c) The Government of Andhra Pradesh had at that time confirmed the availability of infra-structural facilities like land, water and power.

(d) On the basis of further discussions a revised feasibility report was jointly prepared by the Indian and Soviet experts in 1987 for setting up an export-oriented bauxite mining complex. With a view to make the project economically viable, the matter is under discussion by both sides.

Pension scheme for journalists

2264. SHRI SHIV PRATAP MISHRA: Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have received a pension scheme from the journalists, if so, the details thereof; and

(b) the action Government propose to take in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI RADHAKRISHNA MALAVIYA): (a) An Expert Group set up by the Government for drawing up a pension scheme for journalist and non-journalist employees of newspaper establishment has submitted its report recommending introduction of one of several alternative pension schemes.

(b) For the purpose of introducing a pension scheme, it is necessary, in the first instance to make a suitable enabling provision in the EPF Act. The matter is being processed further accordingly.

Acquisition of land for Rohini Scheme

2265. SHRI PRAMOD MAHAJAN: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether all the land required for Rohini Residential Scheme has been acquired, if not, how much is still left to be acquired;

(b) what are the reasons for the delay in the acquisition of the remaining land; and

(c) what are the steps taken|proposed to be taken to expedite the acquisition of the remaining land?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI DALBIR SINGH): (a) to (c) Total land measuring 589.5 acres as per the requirements of the project has already been acquired for Rohini Residential Scheme. However, the requirement of the land for Rohini Residential Scheme/Extension is being assessed by the DDA.

Persons on waiting list for allotment of flats in Rohini Scheme

2266. SHRI ATAL BIHARI VAJPAYEE: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the number of persons waiting allotment in each categories of LIG, MIG, EWS|Janata in Rohini Residential Scheme in Delhi as on 1st July, 1989;

(b) what is the last priority number in each of the categories which has been covered by the 1st July, 1989; and

(c) the number of remaining priority numbers expected to be covered by the 31st December, 1989 ?